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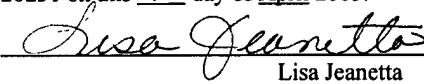
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Inventor:	EMERSON	
Appln. No.:	08/977,644	
Filing Date:	November 24, 1997	Examiner: N. Levy
Title:	USE OF AROMATIC ALDEHYDES AS INSECTICIDES AND FOR KILLING ARACHNIDS	Group Art Unit: 1616

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF PERIOD FOR RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Lisa Jeanetta

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of two months (from February 7, 2003 to April 7, 2003) within which to respond to the Office Action dated November 7, 2002. A check in the amount of \$365.00, which includes \$205.00 for the extension fee and \$160 for Notice of Appeal (small entity), is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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